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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

No. 10-14144
Non-Argument Calendar

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D.C. Docket No. 1:10-cr-00047-KD-N-1

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

JAMES KEVIN PUCKETT,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Southern District of Alabama

(July 25, 2011)

Before TJOFLAT, EDMONDSON and FAY, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:

Raymond A. Pierson, appointed counsel for James Kevin Puckett in this direct criminal appeal, has moved to withdraw from further representation of the

appellant and filed a brief pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738, 87 S.Ct. 1396, 18 L.Ed.2d 493 (1967). Our independent review of the entire record reveals that counsel's assessment of the relative merit of the appeal is correct. Because independent examination of the entire record reveals no arguable issues of merit, counsel's motion to withdraw is **GRANTED**, and Puckett's conviction and sentence is **AFFIRMED**.